

EMMA CRONIN



Emma Cronin PhD., is the project co-ordinator for Glenfern Sanctuary, a 240 ha pest controlled peninsula area located in northern Great Barrier Island. She has been involved in various marine and environmental research projects in Australia and overseas prior to relocating to New Zealand in 2001 to teach tertiary Marine Studies. A growing passion for the New Zealand environment followed by a move to Great Barrier Island, found her assisting with Glenfern Sanctuary and culminated in her current diverse responsibilities; managing restoration projects, monitoring threatened species, presenting guided walks, operating the on-site accommodation and developing and delivering environmental education resources for DOC. She is experienced and skilled in operating and managing field based studies, and has been responsible for managing staff, students and volunteers, often in remote locations. In 2014 she was awarded a Winston Churchill Fellowship to deliver an education resource on black petrels to Peruvian children and fishers. She has been a member of the GBIET since 2012.